5th Grade Tie-Breakers

1. In which book does the main character get grounded for a week during which her newest friend ends up leaving during that time? ***A Corner of the Universe* by Ann M. Martin**
2. In which book is there a song with the words, “There’s buried treasure in the ancient city…hidden under the ground.” referring to the people who will continue the human race after a global catastrophe? ***The People of Sparks* by Jeanne DuPrau**
3. Which book can you find the quote, “If you take a bad boy and make him dig a hole every day in the hot sun, it will turn him into a good boy". (page 5). ***Holes* by Louis Sachar**
4. She forced himself to think of her redheaded almost-bother, and how devastating the day was when they received the news. ***Number the Stars* by Lois Lowry**
5. “I know what people mean when they say they feel as if they are floating. That’s the way I felt, as of my feet weren’t attached to the ground, as if they were bouncing off the floor, touching lightly, and bouncing again.“ ***Pictures of Hollis Woods* by Patricia Reilly Giff**
6. “No…I am NOT ANGRY AT YOU…At least I wasn’t until I got the postcard telling me you jetted off to Florida…What a rough life!!!!!!” (Danziger)/Martin p. 15). ***PS Longer Letter Later* by Ann M. Martin and Paula Danziger**
7. “There ain’t no way you can hold on to something that wants to go, you understand? You can only love what you got while you got it.” (p. 159) ***Because of Winn Dixie* by Kate DiCamillo**
8. “Humanity does not ask us to be happy. It merely asks us to be brilliant on its behalf. Survival first, then happiness as we can manage it.” (p. 277) ***Ender’s Game* by Orson Scott Card**
9. Which book gets its name from what a group of people who are first to settle a region are called? ***Seedfolks* by Paul Fleischman**
10. “I have an announcement. There is no reason to continue tonight’s performance, for its purpose has been served. This has not been a scene of fiction.” (p. 145) ***The Bad Beginning* by Lemony Snicket**
11. “You en’t my father. My father wouldn’t treat me like that. Fathers are supposed to love their daughters, en’t they? You don’ love me, and I don’t love you, and that’s a fact.” (p. 323) ***The Golden Compass* by Philip Pullman**